



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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Application No.: Not Yet Assigned	)	Group Art Unit:
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For: A SYSTEM FOR CREATING	)	
MICROSCOPIC DIGITAL	)	
MONTAGE IMAGES	)	

**PETITION TO ACCEPT COLOR DRAWINGS OR PHOTOGRAPHS**  
**(37 C.F.R. § 1.84(a)(2) and (b)(2))**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

1. This petition is for the acceptance of color:

- ☒ drawings. (37 C.F.R. § 1.84(a)(2))  
☐ photographs. (37 C.F.R. § 1.84(b)(2))

2. Attached hereto are three (3) sets of color:

- ☒ drawings (Figs. 2 and 4).  
☐ photographs.

3. Please amend the specification, by inserting the following language as the first paragraph of the specification beginning a brief description of the drawing or photograph (page 7 between line 13 and 14).

“The file of this patent contains at least one drawing executed in color. Copies of this patent with color drawing(s) will be provided by the Patent and Trademark Office upon request and payment of the necessary fee.”

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4. The reason(s) for the need for color drawings or photographs in this application is/are as follows:

The invention involves the capture of an image of a specimen on a slide. Figs. 2 and 4 illustrate actual images produced by the invention showing the results that may be obtained by the invention. Those images are incapable of accurate or adequate representation by india ink drawings or black and white photographs. A color drawing is the only practical medium by which the subject matter illustrated in Figs. 2 and 4 may be disclosed in a printed patent. It is, therefore, requested that the color drawings submitted as Figs. 2 and 4 be accepted as drawings in this case.

5. The petition fee required to waive the requirements of § 1.84 (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i))-\$130.00 is paid as follows:

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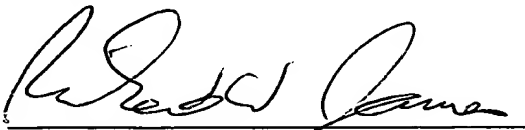
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Respectfully submitted,

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